ITEMS OF INTEREST.

Newsy Notes of Local Happenings.

A Grist of Readable Paragraphs Which Should Not Be Overlooked By Our Readers.

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Grant county is now more than a year behind in its interest payments and the holders of bonds are beginning to protest strenuously against the delay in the payment of coupons.

The fruit yield in this county this year is much below the average but quite a number of fruit growers will have fair crops. Fruit is now being brought into town in considerable quantities.

The Silver City band is practising everal nights a week now and a public concert may be expected now in a few days. The boys are going to have a good band if hard work will count for anything.

A. Skelly and Con Whitehill will

with Gillett & Son of this city, and was formerly employed in the sheriff's office of this county; consequently he is thoroughly conversant with the work of the office to which he aspires.

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Born, to the wife of W. H. Kilburn, on Monday, August 20, 1894 a girl. Mother and girl are getting along nicely but the father is out in the country and has not been heard from.

Married, at the residence of the bride's father, below this city, by the Rev. W. S. Fitch, on Wednesday morning, August 15, 1894, Miss Annie Landrum to Adolph Witzel, of this city. The newly married pair left on the morning train for a short wedding trip.

The heavyweight base ballists of this city are practising ball playing and they are not going to allow any of the overgrown ball players in this section of New Mexico to beat them again as badly as they were beaten at Deming recently. They are not saying much about it but they are going to play a better game the next time.

Next year the office holders of this county will be obliged to work for less pay than they have been getting heretofore with the exception of the county commissioners who will receive more pay bw getting. The new

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Last Monday was the fifth anniversary of the wedding of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Carter. They were kindly remembered by several of their friends.

THE EAGLE office is prepared for fine color work. Our press is fitted with a chromatic attachment, the only one in the county, and we can do your work to your entire satisfaction.

Within the past few days there have been general rains in this part of the territory and grass is starting up nicely on the ranges. Up to the first of this month there had been but very little rain in the southern half of the territory, the ranges were parched and grass was short except in the mountains and in places far removed from water. In the valley of the Rio Grande the losses have been heevy for want of water to irrigate the cultivated land. Ten days ago grapes were dying on the vines and the fruit growers were very much discouraged at the prospect, but Robert Black, who returned from Las Vegas last week, where he had been to inspect the substation of the agricultural college, says that there have been good rains recently in many parts of the Rio Grande valley and that while fruit is too far advanced to be benefitted much, there will be a better crop than was expected even m days ago. In this county the rains eral and there is yet

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> were reported recently in the part of the county but is is harde that there will be much ecount of Indians this year. depredations which were been committed by Inast two or three years ld to have been com-

> > nounces himself in GLE as a candidate e office of collector democratic ticket. resident of this

nas just recended trip in the east, there is great depression in ands of business and that there is little doing there in the manufacturing line. Business men, however, are hopeful and confidently expect an early revival in business. Manufacturers are only keeping up with orders and are not attempting to accumulate stocks of manufactured goods, while merchants are buying carefully and only keeping sufficient stock for current demands. The general disposition seems to be to turn everything into money and to lay out nothing for goods that cannot be immediately disposed of. There is considerable talk about silver but the general sentiment in the east appears to be that this government can do nothing with the question without the assistance of other powers, and that it would be fu-tile to attempt to restore silver to its quaintance in the former position by the passage of a free coinage bill.